Street Law

Scope and Sequence 2023-2024

Course Description: This elective course will give students a deeper understanding of the impact of law upon their daily lives. Court structure, criminal procedure, civil rights, and other legal issues will be examined. Criminal law would be the primary focus one semester and civil law the other semester. This course is available to juniors and seniors only.

Instructional Units		Days**	
First Semester	74	End Date	
1 st Grading Period	37	10/20/2023	
Supportive Learning Environment	3	08/30/2023	
Introduction to Law	14	09/20/2023	
Careers in the Law	3	09/26/2023	
Criminal Law	13	10/13/2023	
The Criminal Justice Process	4	10/20/2023	
*2 nd Grading Period	37	12/21/2023	
Juvenile Justice System	3	10/25/2023	
Criminal Offenses	14	11/16/2023	
Torts	6	12/01/2023	
Consumer Law	5	12/08/2023	
Family Law*	9	12/21/2023	

Second Semester	94	End Date
3 rd Grading Period	42	03/08/2024
Supportive Learning Environment	1	01/08/2024
Review of Court Systems	3	01/01/2024
Introduction to Constitutional Law	3	01/17/2024
First Amendment: Freedom of Speech	13	02/05/2024
First Amendment: Freedom of the Press, Assembly, and Petition	10	02/21/2024
First Amendment: Freedom of Religion	12	03/08/2024
*4 th Grading Period	52	05/31/2024
First Amendment: Freedom of Religion	2	03/19/2024
Due Process	10	04/03/2024
The Right to Privacy	9	04/17/2024
Discrimination and the Law	16	05/09/2024
Rights and Responsibilities in the Workplace*	15	05/31/2024

^{*} Includes time for Final Exams.

Instructional Material(s):

McGraw-Hill, Street Law

^{**}The length of each unit is a specific number of days, but it is understood that there is a range of +/- a day. The purpose of the flexibility is meant to allow teachers the opportunity to plan for the needs of their students and to accommodate re-teaching or review when necessary. If pre-assessment indicates student mastery could be obtained in a fewer number of days, the additional time could be used for extension or carried into the next unit.